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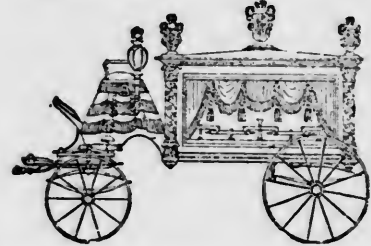
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On March First Is Our Time For Taking Stock

We want to close our stock down as low as possible. In order that we may have as few goods as possible to invoice, we will make **SPECIAL LOW PRICES** on all classes of merchandise.

In many instances will sell for less than cost. Don't miss this opportunity to pick up some of these Great Bargains.

60c Bed Comforts at.....	38c
85c Bed Comforts at.....	50c
1.25 Bed Comforts at.....	83c
1.75 Bed Comforts at.....	\$1.19
2.25 Bed Comforts at.....	\$1.50
\$6.00 Fine Wool Blankets at....	\$3.98
\$5.00 Fine Wool Blankets at....	\$2.90
\$4.00 Fine Wool Blankets at....	\$2.50

Men's Heavy Boots and Shoes will be sold for **LESS THAN COST**. Men's and Boy's Suits, Overcoats and Underwear will be included in this sale.

Ladies, Misses and Children's Shoes will be sold at Great Bargains in this Sale.

Those who hold our premium tickets and want chances on the money to be given away, should bring them in and get their names in the can.

The Logan Dry Goods Co.

LANCASTER AND VICINITY.

Fresh oysters at T. Curry's.

Silver and gold braids and buttons for waist trimmings at Joseph's.

Why do we all feel kinder toward each other after seeing Faust?

Porter J. White carries over 3 tons of scenery and electrical effects.

The Ladies Aid Society meets with Mrs. A. R. Moore Saturday afternoon.

Zarings flour, the best made, try it and be convinced. Patterson & Symson.

Curry sells good goods as cheap as you pay for inferior goods at other places.

Nice lot fence posts, runners and pickets, at Ward's lumber yard. Feb 14-2t

Car load poplar shingles received. Prices right. R. G. Ward. Feb 14-2t

Give us a call when in need of groceries, we have a full line. Patterson & Symson.

Porter J. White travels in his own private, magnificent Pullman. "The Beatrice-Olga."

Porter J. White carries 300 rubber plants and palms for the grand garden scene of "Faust."

Tucked materials, lace all-overs, applique trimming for fancy bolero waists at Joseph's.

For rent, a nice office of two rooms on Lexington street. For terms, apply to Mrs. Dr. O'Neal.

A "Sock Social" will be given here shortly. This shuts out Dave Ross and Maj. Kinnaird from attending.

Always on top in quantity and quality, and at the bottom in prices. T. Curry.

Seventy-five new patterns in clocks. 8-day strike at special low prices for thirty days. Thompson, the Jeweler.

You cannot make or save one or two dollars easier than to go to W. J. Romans for a set of buggy or surrey harness.

Patterson & Symson have just received a nice assortment of Ladies and Children Shoes, up to date Shoes at correct prices.

Store Room For Rent. Known as the Gaines room. Possession given immediately. Apply at The Record office.

THE RECORD tries to publish all the local happenings of general interest, and if we chance to miss an item, its not done intentionally.

The Blue Grass Grocery Store is headquarters for all kinds of Grass Seed and Seed Oats at lowest prices. Finest corn at 5c per can.

Jno. M. Farra received a box of cigars from Lt. Cabel, who is in the Philippine Islands. They were started Dec. 10, and just landed here.

Notice to Creditors. All those indebted to John Shea, dec'd., will please call and settle. Feb-14-2t S. C. Denny, Adm'r.

You can find all kinds rough and dressed lumber, flooring, ceiling, siding, mouldings, doors, sash, &c., at Feb-14-2t. R. G. Ward.

When in town don't forget to take a sack of our flour home with you. All grocers sell it, and thousands are using it. Miner & Son.

I want your butter and eggs also dressed fowls, for which will pay the highest price in cash or groceries. T. Curry.

For Sale. Nine good yearling steers, weight about 650. John S. Baughman, Hyattsville, Ky.

India linen, swiss embroideries, hambug embroideries, insertions, and laces. Call and see our superb lines. J. Joseph.

Good Coal. I have plenty of first-class coal on hand, which will be sold at very low prices. Give me a trial order. F. B. Kemper.

The Masonic lodge conferred the third degree upon Mr. J. L. White Tuesday evening, and last evening passed Fred Erisbie to the degree of Fellow Craft.

A water valve at the electric light plant slipped, a few nights ago, and flooded the fly-wheel pit. Manager Patterson received a drenching that he will not soon forget.

Special Sunday Meals. The new Garrard Hotel makes a specialty of Sunday dinners and suppers. All delicacies of the season prepared in excellent manner.

Reserved seats will be "pegged" for Faust as long as there are calls for them. You had better go to Stormes and drive a tack in the board, or you may have to stand Saturday night.

Our lines of spring percales and gingham are now ready for inspection. You should call before stocks are broken. They're daisies. J. Joseph.

House For Rent. 4-room house at Camp Dick Robinson, known as the toll house. Good garden and outbuildings. 12-7-tf. Banks Hudson.

Sock Social. The ladies of the Helping Hand will give a sock social at the Baptist parsonage, Friday night, Feb. 22. Refreshments will be served. Full particulars next week.

Old Showman Dead. W. H. Harris, the well-known proprietor of Harris' Nicker Plate Show, died at Chicago Sunday. He was well known in Lancaster, his show having been here a number of times.

We are now very busy making a number of new buggies for the Spring trade, and the best material money can buy is going in them. If you want the best buggy in central Kentucky, we have it. W. J. Romans.

Please remember the new grocery store near Marksbury's Hemp-house, where you can get big value for your money. Our goods are all new and fresh, and the very best quality. Robert Underwood.

Just Received. One car of Cypress Shingles. We bought these shingles at a bargain and can sell them at \$3.25 per thousand, our regular price being \$3.50. J. S. Miner & Son.

See the magnificent and bewildering scenery in Porter J. White's big production of "Faust." At Opera House Saturday Feb. 16. General admission 50 cents, balcony 35 cents. Reserved seats 75 cents at Stormes' Drug Store.

Public Renting of Grass Land. I will rent, publicly to the highest bidder at Bryantsville, Saturday afternoon, Feb. 16th, about 350 acres of good grass land, located near Bryantsville. Hattie B. Sweeney, Bryantsville. 17-tf

Notice. Farmers who have not already secured one of our Hancock disc plows should call and get one on trial, or see it work. Its an eye-opener, time and labor-saver, a money-maker. Sold by Gaines Bros.

The remains of Mrs. Wm. Long were interred in the Lancaster Cemetery Sunday. She resided near McCreey and was a member of a prominent family of that section. Our reporter disappointed us in not sending in a report of the death.

Have we any railroad news? Well yes. A committee is working on the right of way and another is securing subscriptions. Quite a number of our monied men have planked down five hundred dollars each, and others are coming up with liberal sums.

A Card of Thanks. I desire to thank the many kind friends who were so willing to help us during our recent great trouble. I certainly appreciate these kindnesses, and have not words at my command to express my heart-felt thanks. Mrs. Ed. T. Minor.

Present for Mrs. Yerkes. The revenue men of this district presented Mrs. John W. Yerkes, wife of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, a handsome silver tea service valued at two hundred dollars for the esteem in which they held Mr. Yerkes as Collector of Internal Revenue.

Business For Sale. Having made arrangements to engage in other business, will sell my entire stock of General Merchandise, storehouse and dwelling at cost. Anyone wishing a good bargain can secure one here. C. C. Becker, Bryantsville.

Wheat Badly Damaged. Richmond Pantagraph:—The outlook for the wheat crop in this county is said to be very discouraging. Badly handicapped by a late start, and having had no snow to protect it from the cold, it has suffered severely from the frozes, notwithstanding that they have been very light, and a large shortage is expected.

The fourth act of "Faust" shows the Shrine of the Virgin—the gorgeously illuminated electric star drops, with the blue dome of heaven piling into darkness, bedecked here and there with twinkling stars. At Opera House, Saturday Feb. 16. General admission 50 cents, balcony 35 cents. Reserved seats 75 cents at Stormes' Drug Store.

Minor Moved to Louisville. The physicians attending Ed Minor, who was shot by Hamilton, decided Saturday to take him to Louisville. He was placed on a cot, carried to the night train and placed in the baggage car. The trip was fairly successful, and he stood it remarkably well. He was taken to the Norton Infirmary and reports say that while he is not out of danger, yet he is making good headway toward recovery.

Senatorial Convention. The Democratic Committee for the Eighteenth Senatorial District met at Stanford Monday, and ordered precinct conventions to be held April 6, to name delegates to county conventions to be held April 8, which will send delegates to a district convention to be held at Stanford April 11, to nominate a candidate for the Senate. The Hon. George T. Farris and Capt. E. W. Lillard are the only candidates.

Editor Walton Canceled. Lexington Democrat:—The former editor of this paper, W. P. Walton, was handsomely caned by Sheriff H. M. Busworth yesterday in the presence of a number of gentlemen, who seemed to enjoy the performance. The cane is made of leather, is silver tipped and a beautiful one. Mr. Walton is very proud of it, both for the friendly spirit the gift betokens and because it came from the hand of the man who captured Caleb Powers.

Prof. Leavell's Publication. Prof. L. A. Leavell, one of the best known colored school teachers in central Kentucky, has commenced the publication of periodical called the "Twentieth Century Literates Digest" and the first number is quite a credit to him. It is an illustrated magazine devoted to the educational, religious, industrial, social and political interests of the colored race. As Prof. Leavell is a former Garrard county man, many here feel interested in his success.

Lights all in. After working constantly for three weeks, electrician Jim Anderson has finished putting the lights in the opera house. The "flash pan" in front of the stage contains eighty-six lamps, and throws a light as bright as day all over the stage. All the other lights have been put in, and the house is now one of the most brilliantly lighted in the state. A novel feature is a "dimmer" by which the lights can be raised and lowered. This will be a big advantage in the production of Faust Saturday night.

Latest Fashion Ideas. Spring dress materials, early spring millinery, spring amusements for children, the Lenten table, a spring breakfast, and 84 styles of spring dressmaking are part of the offering to women in the March Delineator. The ruff which, in many forms, has so decidedly changed the appearance of garments in the past years, is described in the March number of The Delineator under the heading "The Evolution of the Ruff." The article is very fully illustrated and traces the ruff beyond Elizabethan times.

Excursion to Washington. Presidential Inauguration Ceremonies, via Queen & Crescent Route, March 4th, 1901. Fare one way for the round trip from all stations on the Q. & C. Tickets on sale March 1, 2 and 3, good to return until March 9. Lower rates are made for parties of twenty-five or more of organized military companies or brass bands on one ticket. Write any Q & C ticket agent, who will give you further information if desired or address, W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Danville Property for Sale. I offer for sale my residence on East Main street, in Danville. The house is practically new, is in first-class repair and one of the most attractive and convenient in town. It has all modern improvements and is in a locality rapidly becoming one of the most popular in the city. Desiring to sell at once, I offer the place at a bargain and on easy terms. Call at once and inspect the premises. H. Giovaanolli.

Big Show at Court House. W. H. Harris' Old-Time Negro Minstrels will give a performance at the court house tomorrow, Friday, night. Capt. Harris is one of the best-known colored men in central Kentucky, and has a wide reputation for giving good shows. He has some clever dancers, a wire-walker, a man who eats glass and fire, good singers and a whole raft of fun makers. Capt. Harris will reserve part of the house for white people, and many will attend. He insures good order. Admission 10 and 15 cts. Performance begins at eight o'clock.

Pure Anglo-Saxon. Editor of RECORD:—Dear Sir—I see an article in your paper of 17th of last month, attributing the appalling increase, or growth of insanity to the custom of inter-marrying between the mountaineer. Now, Bro. Ed—"come off." I was raised in South-eastern Kentucky, and can truthfully say I never saw or heard of a crazy man until I was thirty years of age, and not very many since, or a single case of suicide in all these years, and the reason for this is that we are pure anglosaxons. Capt. Jas. Johnson, Preachersville, Ky., Feb. 2, 1901.

Will Cost Nothing to Telephone. The RECORD will pay all charges for telephoning any order for printing you may have. If you want a job done call up 43 and describe what you want, and we will pay the charges, do your work promptly and guarantee satisfaction in both quality and price. Our friends at Bryantsville, Marksbury, McCreey, Buckeye, Pt. Leavelle, Paint Lick, Preachersville, or any other point reached by the telephone lines will find this quite a convenience, and we hope they will ring us up when in need of anything in the printing line. Remember, we "pay the freight."

Long Sermon in Few Words. A drinker who died in Oswego, N. Y., left the following significant document as "his last will and testament." What stronger indictment of the saloon could be written? It reads: "I leave to society a ruined character, a wretched example, and a memory that will soon rot. I leave to my parents as much sorrow as they can, in their feeble state, bear. I leave to my brothers and sisters as much shame and mortification as I can bring on them. I leave my wife a broken heart and a life of shame. I leave to each of my children poverty, ignorance, a low character, and a remembrance that their father filled a drunkard's grave."

CHEAP RATES To New York City via the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway.

On account of the spring meeting of the New York Merchants Association, the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway will sell round trip tickets to New York at one and one-third fare on the certificate plan, good going on February 13th to the 17th inc., and March 1st to the 4th inc., and will be good to return 30 days from date of sale. On this basis the round trip rate from Lexington is \$24.00, and tickets will be good for stopovers in Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia not to exceed ten days in either place. The Chesapeake and Ohio Route is the only line from Lexington and Central Kentucky with through sleepers and Dining Car service through to New York without change.

Any information given, or reservations desired will be made on receipt of advice. If you have not yet registered with the Secretary of the New York Association, better do so at once. Geo. W. Barney, Div. of Pass. Agt., Lexington, Ky.

Still Makes Light of Garrard. The Stanford Journal continues to make fun of Garrard, and never misses an opportunity to give our people a dig. Hear his latest:—"If talk amounts to anything Lancaster will certainly get the Southern Railroad. We are glad to know that our people realize that 'talk is cheap,' though and are saving wood and saying nothing. Let them keep the ark-a-moving while our Garrard county friends are wasting their wind in speech."

We will say this, Eddie: If the road is constructed your way, it will not be by reason of anything your county does. As Gov. Bradley said in his speech here recently, "If Lincoln county gives anything to that railroad, it will be the first time she has ever given away anything."

Economy and Cheapness. The Middlesboro News puts it in this way:—"Economy is one thing; cheapness is another. A great many people get them mixed. Economy is the easiest way of accomplishing a desirable end; cheapness the smallest cost for a stated object. Sounds somewhat alike, but its really quite different. For instance, put in this way: Economy is the least expenditure to get there—with the accent on the there. Cheapness is the least expenditure to get there—with accent on the get. In one case you arrive at the end; in the other you may be wallowing along in the mud. It is not economy to go hunting in patent-leather boots—although the German Emperor does it—it would be worse than extravagance to go to a dinner in hunting boots. Find out what you want to do—when, where and how—then select your medium with a view of getting THERE."

Look Out For No. 1. The Burgin Record man should look a little further than the end of his nose, if he has the interest of his town at heart. He says: "Owing to the superiority of Danville in every mentionable particular, it is more than likely that the first named town will secure the railroad extension." Now, see here, sonny, if the road is run via Danville, it will leave your town high and dry about four miles to its right. Then again, the Southern Railway doesn't care two straws for such towns as Danville or Lancaster either on this extension, as they are after the most direct line for through business. Instead of proclaiming to the world that Danville is so far superior to Lancaster, "in every mentionable particular," you had better be looking after your own town's mutton, or you may be left out in the cold.

Fine Play to Fine Audience. Pekin (Ill.) Daily Times:—Porter J. White, supported by talented Olga Verne and an exceptionally strong company, appeared in "Faust" before a packed house at the Standard theater last evening and gave Pekin one of the finest theatrical productions ever seen in the city. Mr. White is a finished actor and truly merited the generous applause which was given him throughout the evening. From an electrical standpoint last night's entertainment was the finest ever seen in the city and scenically speaking it hustled the best we have ever had. Last night was Mr. White's first visit to our city and he has a right to feel proud of the warm reception which he received at the hands of our theatergoers. Mr. White gave such perfect satisfaction last evening that he will always draw well in Pekin.

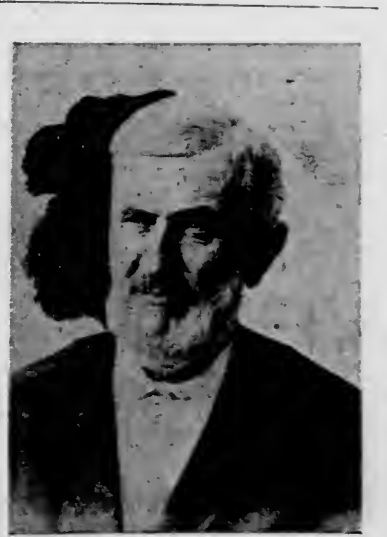
At Opera House, Saturday Feb. 16, General admission 50 cents, balcony 35 cents. Reserved seats 75 cents, at Stormes' Drug Store.

The Festive Candidate. Behold the candidate. He cometh up like a flower and retires from the race busted. His friends fill him with false hopes and atmosphere. He swelleth like a toad and thinketh the earth his'n. He kisseth the children and scattereth his microbes among the innocent babes. He privately cheweth a clove when he meeteth the preacher, and as he converseth with him in pious tones he standeth leeward and curbeth his breath as with a strong bit. He goeth home late at night to a weary wife with a beery breath and cold feet. He riseth up betimes and hiketh forth without his breakfast saying: "I want to see a man." The deal beat waiteth and watcheth, then pulls his leg to a Kings taste. He "naileth a lie," but before election day cometh he runneth out of nails. He giveth liberally to the church, he subscribeth a good sum for the band, and he contributeth to the man whose barn was burned, he bestoweth alms, he signeth his friend's note, he sendeth a small keg hither and a large one thither, he yieldeth up his substance with apparent alacrity. After the election he goeth out back of the barn and kiketh himself and teareth his hair and calleth himself a rotterdam fool. He returneth to the wife of his bosom: "Behold a driveling idiot; look now upon a dordotted fool; gaze upon a dogdasted simploton; cast your eyes upon a beetle shaped dunce who hath not sense enough to carry entrails to a barrel." Then his wife replieth: "I told you so," which causeth him to go forth and drown his sorrow in drink.—Ex.

Death of Little Eugene. After suffering for several weeks, little Eugene Beazley died Saturday night, about eleven o'clock. The little fellow was a sufferer from measles and whooping cough, which finally caused a stubborn complication which skilled medical aid and loving hands were unable to check. He was the eldest son of Dr. and Mrs. Walter S. Beazley, and in his 3rd year. Eugene was a child far above the average in intellect and personal appearance. He had a friendly disposition that made him a pet with not only the household, but the people generally. Every one knew "Gene" and greeted him with attention seldom given to a little fellow of his tender years. Although petted and humored, his good manners attracted the attention of all. Even when only a spark of life remained he never forgot the "Thank you" when waited upon by those around him. The death of this boy is indeed a heart rending blow to the devoted parents, but they can find sweet consolation in the fact that he is "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," where he will know no suffering, there to await their coming. Eld. A. R. Moore conducted a short service at the family residence Sunday afternoon, and the remains were tenderly laid away in the Lancaster Cemetery.

Bargains. A regular 10c Standard Sugar Corn at 5c per can; Finest String Beans, tender as if just picked, at 5c per can; Golden Yellow Pumpkins, large can, at 5c; Best Cultivated Blackberries, full cans, at 7c; Nice Yellow or White Table Peaches, large cans at 12c; Best Florida Evaporated Apples at 10c per pound; California Evaporated Peaches strictly fancy, at 7c or 4 lbs for 25cts; Evaporated Apples, a 10c package for 7c, or 4 packages for 25c; Apple Butter and Jelly at 4c per lb; 1,000 Best Parlor matches for 5c; Golden Glory Starch, the King of all others at 2c per lb; Best Baking Soda 4 lbs for 5c; 3 boxes of 5c Ball Blue for 5c; Arm & Hammer Soda, large size at 4c per package; Gold Dust Washing Powder, at 4c per package; Pearlina at 4c per package; Washing Gas, at 3c per pkg; Spillio at 8c per bar; Grand Pt., Wonder Soap at 4c per bar; 9 bars Ives Family Soap for 25c; 16 bars Tommy Soap for 25c; Rabbit's Eye at 8c per can; Star Lye at 4c per can; Uneda Biscuits at 4c per package; Fresh Crackers at 5c per pound; Fresh Ginger Snaps at 5c per pound; Good Vinegar at 10c per gallon; Crystal Syrup at 25c per gallon; Canned Table Syrup, 1 qt size at 9c; Canned Table Syrup, 2 qt size at 18c; Canned Table Syrup, 1 qt size at 30c; Royal Baking Powder 1 lb cans at 40c; Royal Baking Powder 1 lb cans at 25c; Royal Baking Powder 1 lb cans at 12c; Royal Baking Powder 10c can for 8c; Best Macaroni at 8c per package; Yeast Foam at 4c per box; Bird Seed at 5c per package; Best Corn Starch at 5c per package; T. M. Blackening at 4c per box; Climax 10c Shoe Polish at 8c per box; Enamel Stove Polish at 4c per box; 10c Cake of Rising Sun Stove Polish at 5c per box. Blue Grass Grocery.

Death of Mr. Cook. After a protracted illness, Mr. J. V. Cook died at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. Jake Robinson, in this city Saturday night about eleven o'clock. Mr. Cook was born in Lincoln county, Ky., February 2, 1828, where he resided for a number of years. He moved to Garrard about forty years ago and bought a fine farm, upon which he lived until a few years ago, when his health began to fail. He then came to town and has since been with his daughter, as stated above. Mr. Cook was always among the most prosperous and prominent farmers in the



county. He was very successful in business, a man of fine judgement, honest in all dealings with his fellow-man and always ready to help those in distress. He was a member of the Christian church, and as long able to go, never missed a service. Three children survive him, Mrs. J. B. Kinnaird, Mrs. J. A. Robinson and Mr. William R. Cook. Funeral services were conducted at the Christian church Monday morning at eleven o'clock by Eld. Allen R. Moore, and the remains interred in the Lancaster Cemetery.

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TERMS: (One Year, in Advance) \$1.00
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ONE of the biggest shams attempted recently is the alleged opposition to the prize fight to be "pulled off" in Cincinnati Friday night. Gov. Nash is making a grand-stand play, while several smaller potatoes in the city have been on their ear proclaiming that the fight shall not come off. The funny part of the affair is that the promoters of the fight have gone steadily along with preparations for the mill. That it will take place, there has never been any doubt, as such things are in keeping with the Queen City. If all our money was not wasted on the result of the fight, we would make a bet that four-fifths of the officers who have made such a fuss will be at the ring side, among the most enthusiastic spectators.

THE dishing out of "honors" to those army officers with a political "pull" was resumed at Washington this week, and the program (prepared before the soldiers were ordered to storm Santiago,) is being carried out. Those politicians standing nearest the powers-that-be were given the highest honors, while those men who had given the best days of their life to the army, were politely handed a cold potato. An army officer without a political pull stands in the same attitude as would a clawless cat in perdition.

AT Paris, Ky., Monday night, a negro was taken from the county jail and hanged to a beam over the court house door. When juries begin to do their duty, and courts cease to grant all manner of delays on request of jack-leg lawyers, then it will not become necessary for the citizens to take the law into their own hands. Had Judge Lynch held hands off at Paris, the chances are that the negro would have gotten off with a short term in the penitentiary for one of the most dastardly crimes known.

OX invitations to ladies' dinner parties, we frequently see the "subject for discussion" given in flaming letters. This may be the proper caper these days, but if the good women, bless'em, are to be limited to one subject and prohibited from talking about the neighbors, its safe to predict a short life for the new custom.

THE Winchester Democrat says when a man's wife is out of town for a while he soon begins to hunt up bakeshops. If he would stop with "bakeshops" the good lady would have cause for rejoicing. Its 'tother kind of shops that most frequently catch hubby while "the boss" is away.

A Louisville jury has actually summed up enough nerve to say that a murderer must be hung for his crime. If some enterprising fellow would get a photograph of that remarkable twelve, he could dispose of copies at most any old price. Such things are scarce in Kentucky.

AS Mrs. NATION goes armed with a hatchet, we presume all soda fountain

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clerk take it for granted she wants a nail driven in her drink, and govern themselves accordingly.

If all the merchants who go to Cincinnati this week "to buy goods" will make purchases, the wholesale houses there will have few goods left by Saturday night.

PREACHERSVILLE.

J. L. Hutchins sold six hogs to S. Morgan for 4c.

W. H. Cummins has been on the sick list for a few days.

We are having some nice winter weather at this time.

Prof. J. C. McKee was at Lancaster first of the week on business.

J. P. Rogers sold a horse to L. Griffin for \$40; also one to Sol. Rigsby for \$70.

Levy Rogers left here Wednesday, for Oklahoma, where he will make his future home.

Bro. Carmichael preached some very interesting sermons Sunday at the Baptist church.

There are about sixty-five scholars in school here and more expected soon. Our school cannot be surpassed.

A. J. Thompson bought three hogs from W. M. Sprinkles for \$12, also 8 sheep from Jack Sutton for \$35.

Mrs. Baler, Mrs. Sarah King and Mrs. Grove Kennedy are on the sick list this week. We hope they will all be out soon.

Mr. James B. Curtis, of Garrard county, and Miss Lucy, the beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Luce, were married last Wednesday.

May happiness and prosperity be theirs through life.

Mr. Will Duvall died at his home in this place the 7th inst., leaving a wife and several children and relatives, and many friends to mourn his loss. He was a member of the Methodist church May the Lord comfort the bereaved.

Mrs. Sowder was badly burned Sunday evening. She was making tea in a quart can and prized the top off when the steam and water flew in her face, burning one eye out and fears are entertained for the other eye.

STONE.

Mr. G. W. Anderson is on the sick list again.

Mrs. Eliza Moberley is very low with pneumonia.

Mr. Wm. Wall is suffering very much with his hand which he stuck a buckle in.

Mr. Luther Simpson says he books 305 pounds of hemp in one day. Who can beat this?

L. L. Sanders had a piece of hemp, containing two acres, which turned out 3,000 pounds.

Wm. King, son of Buck King, died last Wednesday, of pneumonia, in the cemetery.

If we should undertake to report all of the sick in this community we would have quite an extensive letter.

One or two new cases of measles in this community, but the grip is raging, whole families being down with it at once.

Our village is improving,—we have a first-class grist mill, which is operated by Messrs. John and Tom Hicks, of McCreary.

Miss Ida and Willie Pierce, and Alice Sadder, of Buckeye, were visitors of the Misses Sanders last week.

Miss Carrie Walker, of Hanley, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. C. S. Sanders. Mr. and Mrs. John Walker, of Hanley, also spent last Saturday with Mr. C. S. Sanders and wife.

Mrs. Osee Campbell passed thro' here last Monday on her way to Missouri, where she expects to make her future home. Rev. A. Meldrum, of Lexington, filled his appointment at Scott's Fork church first Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Scott, of Frankfort, made a flying visit to his sister, Mrs. Mary H. Sanders, a few days since. The little infant of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Huffman died last Wednesday of measles and whooping cough. Miss Alice Sadder, of Buckeye, is spending this week with her grand-father, J. M. Sanders, of Judson. Mr. L. H. Crutchfield and wife, spent Thursday in your town.

BETTIS.

Jack Bourne sold a horse to James Hamilton for \$85.

Bourne and Cox sold a calf to J. A. Robinson for \$17.50.

Mr. N. B. Sutton is improving slowly.

The family of Mose Adams is down with measles.

On last Saturday night Mr. Loyd Bourne heard some one, supposed to be a tramp, to knock at his door. When he answered the knock he found, by close inspection, it was some one who wore a false face.—Mr. Bourne at once asked what he would have? His answer was, a slice of bacon and corn bread. Mr. Bourne, however, thought it to be some of the neighbors aiming for a joke, and did not need much bacon and bread.

Rev. Wolford, of Lancaster, visited among his brethren last week and dined with Mr. and Mrs. John Collier.

Miss Mamie Daily, of Hubble, visited her aunt, Mrs. Robert Bettis, the latter part of the week. R. C. Hamilton and wife visited her sister Sunday.

Mr. Taylor House and wife, of Sweeney, visited Loyd Bourne and wife, Sunday. Biff Bourne visited his cousin, Cleveland Bourne, Saturday night.

Mrs. Shipton Estes and family visited her brother Sunday.

John Smith, accompanied by his sister, Miss Eliza, visited relatives near Stanford last week.

PAINT LICK.

Mrs. E. H. Ballard sold a pair of mules to Alex. Parrish for \$120.

Alex. Ross sold his farm of 64 acres to M. L. Nye at \$38 per acre.

Our doctors are riding night and day trying to head off the grip.

Sam Jennings drew the watch that was raffled off by Allen Thompson.

Buford Ely and wife have both been ill with grip ever since they returned.

R. L. Jennings & Co. are using the rebate stamps and are getting a large trade.

Mr. John Rout, who has been poorly for some time, is gradually growing worse.

Some of our democrats are inclined to kick a little, they are not exactly satisfied with the ticket.

Miss Mattie Thompson, of Lancaster, who has been at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. R. L. Jennings, returned home.

Our boys here have been invited to take part in the gymnasium exhibition to be given at Richmond, on the evening of March the 14th.

There are seventeen people at the Veranda Hotel and every one of them have been sick except Mrs. C. B. Engleman, and she has not had time to get sick.

William Doty, better known as 'Bil'ly Goat,' who has been learning telegraphy here, left Monday night for Montgomery, Alabama, where he has accepted a lucrative position.

Jack Adams is a candidate for magistrate in this district and would make a good officer. Paint Lick has never asked for anything before and there are quite a number of democrats in this neck of the woods say if the party don't vote right they will hear something heavy fall in Novem.

MARKSBURY.

Mr. Wilson Moore has been quite sick with pneumonia.

Miss Jennie Swope attended the funeral of her friend, Mrs. Will Long, at Buckeye, Sunday.

News was received Sunday of the death of Mrs. Will Long, at her home near Buckeye. Mrs. Long formerly lived in this community. She was a good christian woman, a kind and affectionate wife and neighbor. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon by Rev. B. A. Copess.

Miss Carrie Huggins, of Nicholasville, is visiting Mrs. F. K. Sutton. Mrs. Walter Perkins is quite sick with pneumonia. Mr. Henry Parks and sister, Miss Julia, visited friends at Hubble, Sunday. Mrs. Ben Hughes, of Lancaster is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Sutton. Jesse Walden and wife, of Danville, are the guests of Dr. H. C. Herring and family.

BUCKEYE.

Miss Sular Simpson entertained the junior set Saturday evening.

Mr. Lee Brown visited his parents at Buena Vista, last week, who are quite ill. Mrs. Herod Ray is making relatives at Frankfort a visit of two weeks' duration. Mrs. Bee Ray and son, of Sanders' Ferry, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Miss Obie Hill and Mr. Lewis McCullough, were married at Lancaster, the 5th. Miss Hill has made her home with her relative Mrs. Nell Davis since the decease of her mother. She is a cousin of Rev. Frank Hill, formerly pastor of the M. E. church at Lancaster. She is a girl of intelligence, refinement, and christian attributes, and has won the love and respect of those with whom she associates. Mr. McCullough belongs to a well-to-do and highly respected family. He is a moral, sensible, and rather handsome young man, and held in highest esteem by a large circle of friends. Both young people are quite popular in local society.

MT. HEBRON.

We are glad to report the grip and pneumonia patients of this locality improving.

J. B. Bourne has lost several head of cattle in the last month.

While the citizens of this county are rejoicing over Mrs. Nation, formerly being a resident of Garrard, I wonder if any of them would appreciate a visit from her, and sustain her in smashing the "blind tigers."

Mr. Asa Wilson, of Orangeville, Indiana, has been visiting friends and relatives in this county for several days. Miss A. E. Scott spent last Thursday with Mrs. Tom Stone, in Lancaster. Mr. A. T. Wilson, who has been sick for some time was able to return to his home in Indiana last week.

On the afternoon of Feb. 6th, Mr. Frank Gammon and Miss Ella Bruce were quietly married at the home of the bride's father, Mr. G. A. Bruce. Rev. G. W. Thompson, officiating. The bride is an industrious, intelligent girl, and much thought of by all, while the groom is a highly respected farmer of Mercer county. We wish them a long, happy and successful life.

A powerful engine can not run with a weak boiler, and we can't keep up the strain of an active life with a weak stomach; neither can we stop the human machine to make repairs. If the stomach cannot digest enough food to keep the body strong, such a preparation as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure should be used. It digests what you eat and it simply can't help but do you good. F. P. Frisbie

BRYANTSVILLE.

Go to J. S. Haselden for a nice hand-made saddle or set of harness.

Miss Mittie Dunn began a select school at this place last Monday.

Rev. Robinson will fill the pulpit at the Methodist church, the third Sunday.

Miss Carrie Boulden, of Lexington, is spending the week with Miss Kate Ison.

Mr. John Dunn, of Burgin, has been the guest of his brother Potes Dunn, the past week.

The sick in this vicinity are improving. Mrs. Pote Dunn has been very ill, also Mr. J. B. Leavell and daughter.

Mr. Barnes of Mercer county and Miss Ella Bruce, of Mt. Hebron vicinity were married at the bride's home on the sixth.

OBITUARY.

The surprise and sorrow was equally great Wednesday morning when the sad news of the death of Mrs. Wm. Royston was announced. Mrs. Royston was formerly Miss Annie L. McKinney, of Stanford, for twenty-three years she has been indeed, and in truth, the helpmeet of her devoted, and now bereaved husband. She was a devout christian woman, and a generous and noble friend, and owing to her charitable deeds, good influence, and cheerful disposition, her loss will be deeply felt by all who knew her,—and we can say with the poet, "She showed how Divine a thing a woman may be made." She left a loving and faithful husband who provided for and cherished her in a manner that was never excelled by any, also three christian daughters, who are perfect women nobly planned, "they were the pride and joy of their mother, and the comfort of their father, and were raised in the nurture and admonition of the Lord." She was loved by many as was shown by the weep of those that met around her grave. Appropriate and impressive services were held by Rev. Crawford, at her home, thence to the Lancaster Cemetery to await the resurrection morn. But we "sorrow not as those who have no hope," for "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord." F. H. D.

Resolutions of Respect.

WHEREAS, God in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to call from our midst our dear brother, T. L. Sanders, and

WHEREAS, we, the members of the church of Christ, at Stone, (Scotts Fork) feel that in his death, his family has lost a loving father, his wife, a devoted husband and the community, a noble citizen, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Sanders was a faithful and efficient elder in the church, and an able worker in the Sunday-School, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that we have lost from our midst one of our ablest workers and most faithful members, and further be it

RESOLVED, that we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved widow and sorrowing family, and hereafter with our great loss and that of the church, and further be it

RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the afflicted family, spread on the minutes of the church and published in the local paper.

Andrew Meldrum, Lewis D. Mitchell, J. M. Sanders, T. W. Green, committee.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this method of extending our heart-felt thanks to the kind friends who were so untiring in assisting us during our recent bereavement. Words are inadequate to express our gratitude. Mrs. T. L. Sanders and family.

Nervous children are almost always thin children. The "out-door-boy" is seldom nervous. White's Cream Vermifuge is the best preventive of nervousness. It strengthens the system and assists to that sort of flesh, which creates strength and power of endurance. Price 25 cents. C. C. J. E. Stormes.

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Three things to wish for—health, friends and a cheerful spirit.

Three things to avoid—idleness, loquacity and flippant jesting.

Three things to fight for—honor, country and home.

Three things to admire—intellectual power, dignity and gracefulness.

Three things to think about—life, death and eternity.—Exchange.

Should A Man Be Vain?

Certainly he should. He should have ambition to look well and feel good, which he cannot do unless he digests his food. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin aids digestion, clears the head, keeps the bowels regular and makes a man feel at peace with the whole world. Try it. R. E. McRoberts drugist.

Women had larger waists in ancient times—but the men had larger arms. Reports show a greater increased death rate from throat and lung troubles, due to the prevalence of croup, pneumonia and grippe. We advise the use of One Minute Cough Cure in all of these difficulties. It is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. Children like it. F. P. Frisbie

GENERAL NEWS.

The heaviest snowfall of the winter is reported from Central Kansas.

Peter Poland, a member of the Cincinnati fire department, committed suicide on account of being hounded by money sharks.

A woman at Auburn, Ind., smashed up a saloon because the proprietor had ignored her warning not to sell to her husband.

The United States Weather Bureau has developed a system of wireless telegraphy by which ships five hundred miles out at sea can be signalled.

Bradley Manwarring, aged seventy-three, died at Danville of pneumonia. He was formerly one of the most widely known carriage manufacturers in the South.

The jury in the case of George F. Weaver, on trial for perjury in connection with the trial of Caleb Powers, was unable to agree upon a verdict and was discharged.

The jury in the Shotwell murder case at Williamsburg failed to agree and was dismissed.

A country post office clerk in North Carolina pluckily tackled four robbers wounding two. He was dangerously wounded himself.

Bishop Fayler, who is now in France, is charged with having looted a house in China of money and valuables to the value of \$500,000.

The prima donna in an opera company at St. Louis, slapped the leading barytone because he threatened to kiss her.

American troops will not be withdrawn from Cuba sooner than six months following the adoption of a Constitution entirely acceptable to the United States. It is definitely stated that there is little prospect of a withdrawal before fall.

The State Board of Valuation ordered the Auditor to certify to the counties interested the value of rail-road franchises for county taxation. If the board's contention is upheld by the courts it will mean thousands of dollars in taxes for the counties, as the assessment will be made retroactive for a period of five years.

A mob of determined citizens took George Carter, a negro, from the Bourbon county jail, at Paris, early Monday morning and lynched him. There was no disorder, and many citizens of the town did not know what had taken place until breakfast time. Carter attempted a criminal assault upon the person of a white lady, Mrs. W. E. Board.

CONGLOMERATION.

It was Mrs. Carrie Nation, who was aroused to indignation, when she entered Topeka station, At the sale of intoxication:

And without much procrastination, It, indeed, any hesitation, She began her demonstration, After her usual contemplation:

And with a grim determination, Yet a gleeful expectation, She created consternation, That met with the approbation, Of the temperance folks of the nation:

Who were loud in their laudation, Even if it proved a ruination To the "jointists" occupation. Selling blue ruin and damnation, To the disgust and mortification, Of our modern civilization,

And the bleeding Kansas band! So, in a fit of desperation, She arose and left the station, Heading a mighty delegation, Who took in the situation, And upon reaching her destination, Where the beverages of distillation Are sold for the gratification

Of those behind the agitation, Caused a mighty thunderation, When Mrs. Carrie Nation Broke up the habitation, Of those who seek the consolation, Of a drink of fermentation, With a hatchet in her hand!

Her mournful lamentation, Prayers and songs and cantanations Seemed to check their demoralization But it required a castigation, And much humiliation To bring them to a realization That their boozey liquidation Rested upon a frail foundation;

And without any explanation, To the utter degradation Of the Devil's mechanism, Destructive to our naturalization, And the curse of all creation, She promised them salvation, And entire sanctification, And a glorious habitation, If they'd quit their occupation In the Promised Land.

—Lexington Observer.

Recent experiments show that all classes of foods may be completely digested by a preparation called Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, which absolutely digests what you eat. As it is the only combination of all the natural digestant ever devised the demand for it has become enormous. It has never failed to cure the very worst cases of indigestion and it always gives instant relief. F. P. Frisbie

State Convention, Y. M. C. A., of Ky Louisville, Ky., February 21st to 24th, 1901. Tickets on sale all Queen & Crescent ticket offices in Kentucky at one and one third fare for the round trip on the certificate plan for this convention. Write or call on Q. & C. ticket agents for further information. W. C. Rhearson, G. P. A., Cincinnati, O.



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CENTRAL RECORD.

Thursday, February 14, 1901.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Mrs. C. M. Richardson has returned to Somerset.

Miss Emma Soper has returned from a visit to Wallacetown.

The crokinole club meet with Miss Annie Austin Friday evening.

Miss Jennie Lusk is visiting Mrs. Boland, of Point Burnside.

J. C. Hemphill, Jr., has about fully recovered from a protracted illness.

Mr. George Lusk is in Louisville for several weeks' treatment under Dr. Wilson.

Miss Maggie Tomlinson left Tuesday for a week's visit to relative in Danville.

Mrs. J. S. Baughman and Miss Dove Harris visited friends in Danville this week.

Mrs. Davis, of Nicholasville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Kennedy, at the Garrard.

A very enjoyable impromptu hop was given Friday evening in honor of Miss Stella Robertson, of Cynthiana.

Misses Eliza Rucker, of Berry, Nell Hackley, Fanny Shugars and Virgie Conn and Cora Ward were entertained by Mrs. G. M. Patterson last week.

Mr. A. H. Bastin, who has done more for the promotion of independent telephone lines than any man in Kentucky, was in Crab Orchard and Kirksville this week.

Mrs. Pattie Hays, Mr. Will Hays and wife, Will Beazley, Dr. Alex Beazley and family, Mr. A. S. Price and Miss Pearl Burnside, of Stanford, attended the funeral of little Eugene Beazley, Sunday.

Stanford Democrat:—Mrs. John M. Farra, of Lancaster, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. A. McRoberts, yesterday. They are two unusually handsome ladies. George and John are gentlemen of fine taste.

Richmond Register:—The many friends of Col. J. W. Caperton will be glad to learn that he is able to be out after a severe illness. Miss Amy Davidson returned to her home in Lancaster yesterday after a pleasant visit to Miss Mayme Pickels. Mrs. Mollie Martin has returned home after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Anderson, in Lancaster.

Lexington Democrat:—Mrs. Edmond Bacon announces the engagement of her daughter, Mrs. Eleanor Hart Bacon to Mr. Ethelbert Pearson, of Kansas City, Missouri. The wedding will take place early in April. Miss Bacon is a bright, attractive girl, much beloved by all who know her. She belongs to one of the oldest, most aristocratic families in Lexington and is quite prominently connected.

Edwin Arnold was in Richmond the last week.

Miss Minnie Daniels, of Lexington, is visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. J. M. Sallee, of Danville, was the guest of Mrs. Jno. Baughman.

Jesse Walden and wife, of Danville, have been visiting at Dr. Herring's.

Senator George Farris is at home from several weeks' stay in Casey county.

Miss Florence Harris leaves shortly for a protracted visit to relatives in Arkansas.

Misses Sandifer, of Lebanon, are being entertained this week by Miss Georgia Henry.

Danville Advocate:—Miss Minnie Eastham will leave this week for New York, to be absent a month.

Mrs. Robert Kinnaird, Banks Hudson, Misses Grace Kinnaird and Mary Gill visited Danville this week.

John F. Lear, after a rough and tumble tussle with the grip, is back at his post of duty in McRoberts' drug store.

Mrs. Sam Haselden entertained a few friends Thursday evening in honor of her friend, Miss Stella Robertson, of Cynthiana.

The Maids and Matrons Sewing Club will meet next Tuesday afternoon at half-past two o'clock with Mrs. Banks Hudson, West Danville avenue.

Miss Marie Joseph entertained the young folks crokinole club Friday evening, at her hospitable home on Stanford street. Miss Allie Arnold and Mr. Chas. Collier won the prizes.

The sick in the community are all reported much improved. We heard a man say that not one out of ten families was without a case of sickness, and we believe he was correct in the assertion.

Danville Advocate:—Judge H. T. Noel, wife and baby, who have been visiting his mother for the past two weeks, left this morning for their home in Knoxville, Tenn., accompanied by his sister, Miss Anna, who will remain with them for several months.

Lexington Leader:—The many friends of Ashbrook Frank will regret to hear of his dangerous illness in Louisville. He has been unwell for some time, but his case was not considered serious until Friday. His brother, Holton O. Frank, left Lexington Saturday afternoon over the C. & O., to be at his bedside. His many friends here hope for his speedy recovery.

Danville News:—Mrs. Hunt and mother, Mrs. Thorel, arrived in this city last night from Van Wert, Ohio. They will remain here about a week before returning to their home in Little Rock. Messrs Kert Kirby and Will Kinnaird, of Lancaster, were in town yesterday. Mr. McKee Kinnaird, of Lancaster, was here today. Mrs. C. E. Barker remains very ill of grip and rheumatism.

Miss Christine Bradley is in Lexington visiting relatives.

Miss Mary Woldridge, who has been very ill, is much improved.

Mrs. Hampton, of Winchester, is visiting her son, Prof. Hampton.

Mrs. J. B. Paxton, of Stanford, attended the funeral of Mr. J. V. Cook.

Miss Kittie Mason, who has been very ill with gripe, is somewhat improved.

While breaking kindling in his drug store Sunday afternoon, Mr. John E. Stormes stuck a small nail in his foot. He thought it had only gone through his shoe, but was surprised that night to find it had dug into the flesh for a considerable distance. The foot was badly swollen next morning, but careful attention has about driven away fears of serious results. The fact that it was just such an accident that caused Mr. Stormes' death a few days since caused uneasiness among Mr. Stormes' many friends.

Stanford Journal:—Woods Walker, of Garrard, passed through Tuesday to Union county, where he will hunt foxes for a few days. Mr. W. P. Walton and family returned yesterday from Lexington and again occupy their home on West Main Street. Mr. Walton will enjoy a few months of much-needed rest, varying the monotony now and then, we hope, by assisting the editor of this paper. Mr. James B. Curtis, of Garrard, and Miss Lucy A. Lunsford, the pretty and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lunsford, of Preachersville, were married at the residence of Rev. R. B. Mahony, in this city, by that gentleman Wednesday.

The handsome Valentine dinner at which Misses Allie and Bettie Anderson entertained was one of the most brilliant affairs of this week. It was a red and white dinner in appointments and decorations. The places were marked with red hearts pierced with gold arrows. At each place was a red roll which contained a May Irvin cap worn by each guest. Red and white hearts formed a striking and novel color scheme during the dinner. The following were present: Mesdames J. F. Robinson, S. C. Denny, G. D. Robinson, K. F. Postle, Jerry Respass, G. A. McRoberts, Wm. Cook, A. B. Price, G. B. Swinebroad, Victor Lear, Juliet Rogers, Misses Fannie West, Martha Elkin and Allie Marksberry.

The claim of other cough medicines to be as good as Chamberlain's are effectually set at rest in the following testimonial of Mr. C. D. Glass, an employee of Bartlett & Dennis Co., Gardiner, Me. He says: "I had kept adding to a cold and cough in the winter of 1897, trying every cough medicine I heard of without permanent help, until one day I was in the drug store of Mr. Houlahan, and he advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and offered to pay back my money if I was not cured. My lungs and bronchial tubes were very sore at this time, but I was completely cured by this remedy, and have since always turned to it when I got a cold, and soon find relief. I also recommend it to my friends and am glad to say it is the best of all cough medicines." For sale by R. E. McRoberts druggist.

The farm reflects the character of the owner. This is seen in the location of buildings and yards, orchards, pastures, drives, etc. All these are parts of his life's machinery. The better the arrangement, the less friction. The farmer must take advantage of every short cut he can find. Superior tactics on a common farm may save enough labor in a year to amount to the wages of an extra man. —Rural World.

Death from fright in horses is not uncommon. Intelligent horses are very often nervous. They are quick to take notice, quick to take alarm, quick to do what seems to them, in moments of sudden terror, necessary to escape from possible harm, from something that makes them halt and run away, and that is what causes them to die from terror when they find there is no escape.

They are breeding seed corn in Illinois. And they have a full fledged Association of Seed Corn Breeders, whose officers serve without salary and all for the love of good seed and good deed. It seems that by scientific treatment the chemical contents of corn may be varied, besides its size and shape. It may be bred with more oil, with less oil, with more protein, in truth there has been bred a corn with more protein than wheat! These are astonishing discoveries, and may lead to important results to the stockmen.

For farm implements of all kinds having metal surfaces exposed, indeed for all metals likely to be injured by oxidation or "rusting," take a quantity of good lard, add about two ounces common resin, melt them slowly together, stirring as they cool. This may be applied with a brush or cloth, just enough to give a thin coating to the metal surface to be protected. The resin prevents rancidity and the mixture obviates the ready access of air and moisture.

In many counties of the State the farmers are making an effort to have a dog-tax law passed. The attacks of dogs upon the flocks of sheep have become so numerous in these counties that the farmers claim something must be done or the sheep raising industry will have to be abandoned. Occasionally we hear of a LaRue county farmer sustaining a loss in this way, but it does not happen in this county as often as it does in other counties. It may be because LaRue county farmers raise fewer sheep, or it may be due to the fact that we have fewer or more kindly-disposed dogs. To give an idea to what extent farmers in other counties have suffered by reason sheep-killing dogs we quote the following from the Cynthiana Log Cabin: "In the first twelve days in January in this county the following lots of sheep were killed: On the 2nd, 14 sheep killed. A law suit will result. On the 3rd, four sheep crippled, two killed. On the 10th, 18 killed and three fine hogs go mad from being bitten by a mad dog. On the 12th, 83 head were crippled and killed. In all 122 head were crippled and killed. Making the low estimate of \$3 per head it will be seen that the loss to the farmers was \$366."—LaRue Herald.



Owen county farmers are reaching the conclusion that they have been devoting too much land and time to the raising of tobacco and not enough to the producing of 'hog and hominy.'—Exchange.

Rust or blight of tomatoes before and after they are put out in the field may be largely prevented by greater care in maintaining an even and suitable temperature in the hotbed or green house and use of Bordeaux mixture as a spray.

Those who desire to know about the lands soon to be opened for settlement in the Kiowa and Comanche reservations in Oklahoma should write the Interior Department in Washington. It will be well to be forehanded if it is desired to get a slice of this land, for the rush will be vast when the time comes.

It is estimated from returns recently at hand that the Colorado lamb-feeders will this season market 75,000 head, as against 400,000 for last feeding period. The first of the finished product will go forward to Chicago in January, which is some four to six weeks earlier than they began last winter.

Agents for the British army last week bought three car-loads of horses in Bourbon county, and they were shipped away on Wednesday night. They are looking for others, and it's very likely that they will buy many more. The demand of the army calls for 50,000 to be purchased in this country.

The correspondent of the Associated Press learns from private sources that Emperor William will send a special envoy shortly to take a tour of the notable American stock farms, with the view of purchasing saddle and carriage horses for the imperial stables. Hitherto the court has purchased exclusively in Hungary and England.

The largest seed distribution ever made at any one time by the government began recently, and before the spring planting time is over nearly 13,000,000 little packages of garden seeds will have been received by the farmers of every section of the country. The appropriation for the distribution was increased \$40,000 by Congress at its last session, making a total sum of \$170,000 available for this purpose.

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It isn't always the brightest girl that casts the most reflections.

Like bad dollars, all counterfeits of DeWitt's Little Early Salve are worthless. The original quickly cures piles, sores and all skin diseases. F. P. Frisbie.

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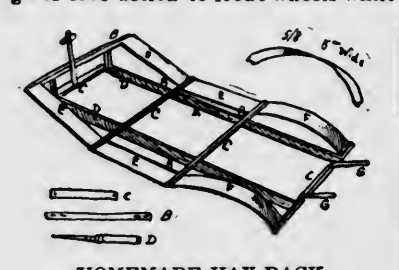
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HOMEMADE HAY RACK.

turning. Four pieces, e, one by eight inches make side projection each side of the rack. Four pieces, f, of five-eighths by eight inches, with probably double tenons on each end make the bow or arch over hind wheels. Two standards, g, one and a quarter by four inches, bolted and tapered and bolted to side sills in such a manner as to fold down when not in use, serve to anchor the back end of load. Any kind of a device can be used on front end to hold the lines. A single post or two pieces fastened to side sills and inclining together toward top with two or three cross pieces framed in will answer when binding on the load. A tight bottom can be placed within to save grain that shells while handling.—R. O. Logan, in Farm and Home.

ICE IS A NECESSITY.

The Farmer Who Has Once Put up a Crop of It Will Do So Every Year Thereafter.

Although the storing of ice has been urged often, the subject is quite timely now, and the advice given is every one to put up ice for next summer's use will not be out of place. The idea that ice is only a luxury is a "back number" with those who have had ice for several years; to them it has become a necessity. With its use the butter can be kept solid, the milk kept sweet, victuals kept palatable from one meal to another, and the family can enjoy ice cream without purchasing it or without going miles perhaps to buy a chunk of ice. The idea of buying ice as cheaply as it can be put up is a mistaken one, and the calculation

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being made to buy ice the coming summer simply means that we will do without it. It is not essential to have a house built on purpose for the storing of ice. We once stored a block of ice eight feet square, and about ten feet high, and after the block was finished we built a square of rails around it, putting straw in the cracks to hold the sawdust, placed a cover of boards over it, and the ice kept quite well.

In storing ice we always cut the blocks in size to fill the house to within a foot from the walls, and place in the same position as it is taken out of the water; this makes every layer quite level and it is much less labor than when we set up on edge as some recommend, and it will keep fully as well. After each layer the joints should be filled with snow or pounded ice, or sawdust will do about as well. Tamp sawdust as solid as possible around the sides and over the top. Watch your ice closely during the spring months for this is really the most critical time; if air passages are formed through the sawdust, the ice will melt very rapidly and by the time you wish to commence to use it, it may have melted away considerably.

When using ice remove the top layer entirely before taking off the second. Try putting up a quantity of ice this winter and see if you wish to do without it again.—Jacob Dickman, in Ohio Farmer.

Planting Seeds Too Close.

Seeds are sometimes planted too close together. Even wheat will give good results when but few seeds are used over a certain area. It is stated that in an experiment made, in which the plants were set out and allowed to multiply and again divided, a single grain produced 20,000 heads, containing 170,000 grains, which made 43 pecks. Of course such cultivation is hardly possible on an acre field, but the experiment shows that a grain of wheat will produce much more than may be supposed.

A Practical Little Wife.

Neighbor—You've got a lovely bedroom now with this new carpet. Just put it down, didn't you?

Hostess—Yes; just through. Neighbor—I thought so, from the tacks scattered around the floor. You ought to pick them up before night, or your husband will be stepping on them.

Hostess—No, let them stay. My husband is a newspaper humorist, and every time he steps on one he'll think of some new joke about it. I hope he'll make enough out of them to pay for the carpet.—N. Y. Weekly.

Too Much.

"So your prima donna is going to desert you?"

"Yes," answered the opera manager, sadly. "And perhaps it is all my fault. I spoke hastily."

"Did you prove her?"

"No. I tried to be gay and comic. She said she was going out in her horseless carriage, and I told her that what she needed was a horse-less voice."—Washington Star.

This Plan Doesn't Fail.

The only certain road to wealth—A test will prove it so—Is holding on to money when you feel like letting go.—Chicago Record.

A REGULAR GREENBACKER.

Goose—What do you think of the money question?

Bull Frog—I'm a greenbacker.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

The Faithful Officer.

"When my time comes, I will die at my post."

Were the words the policeman said, And he told the truth, because, you see, He died at the post of his bed.—Harlem Life.

There Yet.

Bigher—Yes, sir. I'm dealing in gilt-edged investments now.

Bitton—What are they?

Bigher—Gold mines. There's money in them.

Bitton—You're right. I lost a lot of my money in some of them.—Philadelphia Press.

In Colonial Days.

"And they tell me Rev. Ebenezer Softheart doth grow stranger in his preaching every day."

"Indeed?"

"Yes. He doth now avow openly that witches should not be burned."—Puck.

Uncle Sam's Businesslike Way.

"I see we've just purchased a couple more Philippine Islands from Spain."

"Well, that shows how Uncle Sam differs from most women."

"I don't see the connection."

"They borrow trouble; he buys it outright."—Chicago Times-Herald.

That One Word.

Miss Hiculler—Yes, they say Mr. D'Auber is very clever. I think I shall have him to paint me.



O SOUL OF MINE.

O soul of mine, what dost thou here? In things of earth thou hast no peer? Whence comest thou to this world a seer? Where is thine unseen native place, Where souls commune in naked grace, Where souls sit not behind masked faces?

Why didst thou leave the Spirit land To dwell in flesh with many a band—Forged fetters—hard to understand—Must souls dwell here in grief and pain And grow strong spite of all the strain, Till pure, redemptive—no heaven gain?

If so, what course is doubtless best? What toil pursued for spirit quest? Will mark it for eternal rest? Should courts of earth so blind thine eyes?

That those rare beauties thou surmise Belittles thine eternal prize?

Should wealth—that glittering bauble hold Thy highest thoughts—what gain for gold? A sculptured tomb thy dust to fold? Should honor of the chattering throng Gain all thy heart, or shouldst thou long To away men by thy jest and song?

Should learning turn thy maddened brain Till thou shouldst say: "I naught can gain."

I am my master—sun or rain? Should science or its phantom light Divert thy course from heart-right thought, So rob thee of God's honors bright?

Should athena with melodious songs Entice where Satan's vengeance throngs To wreck thee on his rocks of wrongs? No! Thine own pilot's at the wheel. Trust him—the almightiest swerving fell. Shall God rule and guide thee for aye?—Frank Moore Jeffery, in N. Y. Observer.

IN ANSWER TO PRAYER.

For Our Own Good God Rules and Oversees According to His Greater Knowledge.

The silences of God are as significant as those responses which seem so direct that we can hardly question their authority; and the denials of God are as much answers to prayer as are His silences or His responses. Shakespeare saw this distinctly, great psychologist as he was, when he said:

We, ignorant of ourselves, Beg often our own harms, which the wise powers Deny us for our good; so find we profit By losing of our prayers.

Probably no one will read these words who cannot look back at some cherished hope or some passionately loved purpose, the denial of which brought at the moment sorrow and something like despair; that denial, however, seen in the light of to-day, stands out as the greatest piece of good fortune. Many a man has striven for some special position upon which he had set his heart, some special specific opportunity which seemed to him the only open door to fortune, and when the position slipped through his fingers, or the opportunity went in some other direction, it seemed as if life had ended; but, looking back after a decade, it is often evident that the loss of the position and the missing of the opportunity were the very things which opened the way for a higher and broader success. Our prayers are limited by our knowledge, but they are answered out of the wisdom of God. For that reason they are perhaps as often denied as granted, and in the denial the petitioners are most truly heard.—N. Y. Outlook.

GREAT THOUGHTS.

Heaven may include earth.—Ran's Horn.

All things can lead astray those ill-inclined.—Ovid.

Anger never made good guard for itself.—Shakespeare.

The first and worst of all frauds is to cheat one's self.—Bailey.

The hand which hath long held a violet does not soon forego its fragrance.—Theocritus.

He who is lord of himself, and exists upon his own resources, is a noble but a rare being.—Byrdges.

To appreciate truth, beauty or love, is not remarkable; distinction is to practice them.—H. A. Kendall.

Nature is not a mere image or emblem of the spiritual; it is a working model of the spiritual.—Drummond.

The path of a good woman is indeed strewn with flowers; but they rise behind her feet, not before them.—Ruskin.

Steady, patient, persevering thinking will generally surmount every obstacle in the search after truth.—Emmons.

We must be as courteous to a man as we are to a picture, which we are willing to give the advantage of a good light.—Emerson.

No success is worthy of the name unless it is won by honest industry and a brave breasting of the waves of fortune.—Huxley.

It is thy duty oftentimes to do what thou wouldst not; thy duty, too, to leave undone what thou wouldst do.—Thomas a Kempis.

To seek the truth, wherever it leads; to live the life of love, whatever it costs—this is to be the friend and helper of God.—M. J. Savage.

Whoever is mean in his youth runs a great risk of becoming a scoundrel in ripe years; means leads to villainy with fatal attraction.—Cherubine.

The three things most important to young men whose lot is cast in the city are self-possession, simplicity and a right standard of values.—Bishop Potter.

Men are apt to put into the Bible their own theories and prejudices. This is a dangerous thing to do, for many theories once defended by torture are not known to be abused and thoroughly erroneous.—Rev. W. A. Hunter.

Variety In Profusion.

"I can find no fault with the location of your house, Mrs. Spooner," said the departing boarder, "and the neatness of your table is something that I shall long remember with joy; but I can stand no longer the sameness of your bill of fare; a man must have some variety."

"Well, sir, it is your own fault that you have refused to partake of the variety," she snapped. "I am sure that no one could do more than I have done to make attractive hash."

—Brooklyn Life.

COUNTRY DOCTOR CURES.

In Whose Pharmacopoeia Are Decorative and Many Other Uses for Larkspur.

The old doctor's eyes twinkled as he saw upon Mrs. Early's boudoir table some long, plumy, rich blue sprays, set delicately in a cut glass vase. The flowers were worthy their setting, beautiful as the morning, graceful in themselves. What amused him was their contrast with Mrs. Early's mental attitude—she said she simply could not endure anything common or useful, says the Washington Star.

"Larkspur coming in fashion—eh?" he said, nodding to the flowers. Mrs. Early began to say: "Why, no, Delphinium—" but he ran on as though she had not spoken: "Bless my soul! the flowers take me back 40-odd years. All my patients had larkspur patches—pink, blue, purple and ringstreaked. In fact, I believe they would hardly have tried to keep house without. It's a pretty flower, and hardy—"

"Oh, did they decorate with it?" Mrs. Early asked. The doctor grinned.

"Semi-occasionally" when other flowers were scarce," he said. "But they didn't like to waste it. It was too useful, you see. Possibly you don't know it, but larkspur is among the finest insecticides—and my old friends had heaps of vermin to fight. So they raised enough to make larkspur straw for nests when a hen got broody, and larkspur soap to wash cats and dogs—yes, and even pigs. Maybe you will like to hear about the soap—an awful lot of fresh larkspur was boiled in a big kettle until there was a strong decoction. The stalks were skinned out and the liquor boiled down stronger—indeed, it could not well be too strong. Then hard soap was shaved into it and stirred until it dissolved. The mixture was cooled and cut in cakes. Dogs and cats were washed with the soap to rid them of fleas and mange. The latter had to be well rinsed off or the animals, licking themselves, might get sick."

"Bird cages scalded in boiling larkspur soap suds came out clear of vermin. A cake of the soap dissolved in five gallons of whitewash was a pretty fine thing for a poultry house—entirely safe. A fresh coat of such whitewash every three months put mites and lice to rout. Indeed, the paint seems to be a specially-designed antidote to every sort of blood-sucking parasite. The leaves of it dried and powdered answer nearly as well as the soap—with the advantage that they can be used where the soap is out of the question."

"I repeat, this is Delphinium—Delphinium Formosum," Mrs. Early said, with a touch of asperity, laying her hand as she spoke upon the blue plumes. "They may look like your larkspur, but I assure you that they are not—they came out of a hothouse, and are all the fashion, now that blue flowers are so much out of season."

"All the larkspur are Delphiniums," the doctor retorted. "Your flowers are I admit, the aristocrats of the class, in that it takes them two years to flower. They are also more double, with richer blooms and longer sprays, than their old-fashioned annual cousins—but cousins none the less. There is a wild purple larkspur, also a pink one, which blooms in early spring. But neither the wild flower nor that which the florists force can put out of court the hardy, lace-leaved sisterhood, which will spring up and bloom year after year, seeding itself by chance, ripening and blossoming cheerily, in the most unpropitious places. Indeed, you can hardly kill it, once it is well seeded—it grows like a weed, with even half a chance. Everybody ought to give it a chance. A packet of seed may be had for five cents. Give the seed a wee corner in the back yard, or even a big box of earth, and you may have larkspur for use all the year round. It will grow no matter how thick it stands. The most part of the stalks should be pulled up just as they come into bloom, dried in the shade and put away in a paper bag. If sown very early the new seed will produce a second crop. A single plant left standing will furnish much more than enough seed for next year's sowing."

ABSALOM'S TAKING WAYS.

It Was the Most Natural Thing in the World for Him to Abstract Others' Goods.

I have lately heard a little story about a Georgia dandy who was called Joseph because his name was Absalom—or, rather, because of the fact that he wore a coat of many colors, so that a little way off Absalom, or Joseph, looked like a sort of animated solar spectrum, says the Boston Transcript. This dandy had a strong physical impulsion to carry away things that didn't belong to him, not so much on account of their value as because of an unfortunate craving for the excitement of eluding pursuit and capture. In fact, he regarded theft in the light of a great joke. Joseph occasionally worked for a carpenter in the little town near which he lived, and one morning his knight of the plane, on going into his workshop, found several of his best and largest tools missing. He immediately suspected that Joseph was the thief; but instead of going in search of him he waited until the dandy passed the shop, which he did nearly every day.

Sure enough, the very next morning along came Joseph on a moth-eaten mule, with the rainbow coat fluttering in the breeze. Just as the caravan passed the shop the carpenter, who was looking out of the window for the supposed culprit, sang out: "Joseph, you black nigger, where's my tools?" Joseph turned a degree paler and rolled his eyes in his head. Then, collecting himself, he said, without a word of apology: "I'll bring 'em back, Massa Brown, soon's ever I get home. They are safe up in my cabin."

You black rascal, see they do bring 'em back," answered the carpenter, "and be right smart about it, or I'll have you arrested." Then off rode Joseph on the broad grin, as if borrowing tools in the dead of night was the most customary thing in the world for a man to do; as, indeed, it was—for him. Probably no more innocent thief ever lived.

His Hunting Way.

"She started to say something about a kiss, and—"

Young Huggins grinned in well-warranted appreciation of his own acuteness.

"I took the words right out of her mouth."—Puck.

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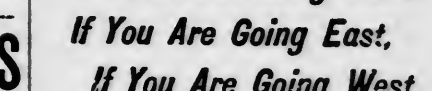
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